

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Please AMEND claims 1, 9, and 16 in accordance with the following:

1. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A data processing system comprising:

a display control unit implementing a display module displaying at least one format file containing a fixed format, and at least one data file containing item data to be set to the fixed format;

a specifying control unit implementing a specifying module specifying any one of the format file and the data file, and specifying ~~the either another~~ category of file from this one file; and

a setting unit setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation, wherein said specifying comprises selecting and dragging any one of the format file and the data file.

2. (ORIGINAL) A data processing system according to claim 1, wherein when there are provided a plurality of format files or data files, said setting unit sets the item data to the fixed format of the format file, and creates the plurality of files at one time.

3. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 1, wherein said setting unit sets the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file by a form overlay function in accordance with the specifying operation.

4. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 1, further comprising a distinguishing unit distinguishing between file formats of the specified format file and data file.

5. (ORIGINAL) A data processing system according to claim 4, wherein said distinguishing unit distinguishes between the file formats of the format file and the data file on the

basis of any one category of element among extensions, file names and a file selection order.

6. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 1, further comprising a print control unit of implementing a print module for printing contents of the item data of the data file which have been set to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation.

7. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 1, wherein said specifying control unit implements the specifying module for specifying the format file and the data file by a drag and drop function.

8. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 1, wherein said setting unit sets the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation of specifying the format file and the data file that are displayed in the form of display objects.

9. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A data processing method comprising:
implementing a display module to display at least one format file containing a fixed format, and at least one data file containing item data to be set to the fixed format;
implementing a specifying module to specify any one of the format file and the data file, and specifying ~~the other~~another category of file from this one file; and
setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation, wherein said specifying comprises selecting and dragging any one of the format file and the data file.

10. (ORIGINAL) A data processing method according to claim 9, further comprising setting, when there are provided a plurality of format files or data files, the item data to the fixed format of the format file, and creating the plurality of files at one time.

11. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 9, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file by a form overlay function in accordance with the specifying operation.

12. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 9, further comprising distinguishing between file formats of the specified format file and data file.

13. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 9, further comprising implementing a print module for printing contents of the item data of the data file which have been set to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation.

14. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 9, further comprising implementing the specifying module for specifying the format file and the data file by a drag and drop function.

15. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 9, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation of specifying the format file and the data file that are displayed in the form of display objects.

16. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program comprising:

implementing a display module for displaying at least one format file containing a fixed format, and at least one data file containing item data to be set to the fixed format;

implementing a specifying module for specifying any one of the format file and the data file, and specifying the otheranother category of file from this one file; and

setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation, wherein said specifying comprises selecting and dragging any one of the format file and the data file.

17. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 16, further comprising setting, when there are provided a plurality of format files or data files, the item data to the fixed format of the format file, and creating the plurality of files at one time.

18. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with

a program according to claim 16, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file by a form overlay function in accordance with the specifying operation.

19. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 16, further comprising distinguishing between file formats of the specified format file and data file.

20. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 16, further comprising implementing a print module for printing contents of the item data of the data file which have been set to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation.

21. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 16, further comprising implementing the specifying module for specifying the format file and the data file by a drag and drop function.

22. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 16, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation of specifying the format file and the data file that are displayed in the form of display objects.

23. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) The data processing system as in claim 1, wherein the format file and the data file are displayed as a list.

24. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 2, wherein said setting unit sets the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file by a form overlay function in accordance with the specifying operation.

25. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data-processing system according to claim 2, further comprising a distinguishing unit distinguishing between file formats of the specified format file and data file.

26. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 2, further comprising a print control unit implementing a print module printing contents of the item data of the data file which have been set to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation.

27. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 2, wherein said specifying control unit implements the specifying module for specifying the format file and the data file by a drag and drop function.

28. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing system according to claim 2, wherein said setting unit sets the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation of specifying the format file and the data file that are displayed in the form of display objects.

29. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 10, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file by a form overlay function in accordance with the specifying operation.

30. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 10, further comprising distinguishing between file formats of the specified format file and data file.

31. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 10, further comprising implementing a print module printing contents of the item data of the data file which have been set to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation.

32. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 10, further comprising implementing the specifying module for specifying the format file and the data file by a drag and drop function.

33. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A data processing method according to claim 10, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation of specifying the format file and the data file that are

displayed in the form of display objects.

34. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 17, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file by a form overlay function in accordance with the specifying operation.

35. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 17, further comprising distinguishing between file formats of the specified format file and data file.

36. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 17, further comprising implementing a print module for printing contents of the item data of the data file which have been set to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation.

37. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 17, further comprising implementing the specifying module for specifying the format file and the data file by a drag and drop function.

38. (PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED) A readable-by-computer medium recorded with a program according to claim 17, further comprising setting the item data of the data file to the fixed format of the format file in accordance with the specifying operation of specifying the format file and the data file that are displayed in the form of display objects.